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Ruling on CIA Projects

DAN RATHER: A wide-reaching Supreme Court ruling today giving the Central Intelligence Agency wide powers to decide what secrets it wants to keep from the American public, in general. And in today's case in particular, the justices ruled the CIA may refuse to say who was involved in Project MK/ULTRA. That was a top secret program in the 1950s and '60s that reportedly included giving LSD and other mind-bending drugs to unwitting Americans. At least two people died.